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- ☒ Copy(ies) of references Citation No(s). B5, C1-C5 are attached.
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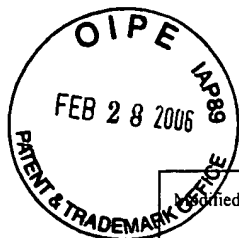
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	C5	Harrington, et al, "VX-680, a potent and selective small-molecule inhibitor of the Aurora kinases, suppresses tumor growth <i>in vivo</i> " <i>Nature Medicine</i> 10, 262-267 (2004).

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